

**CITY OF BRIDGEPORT
EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SERVICES
COMMITTEE
REGULAR MEETING
APRIL 8, 2015**

ATTENDANCE: Rev. Mary McBride-Lee, Co-Chair; Council President Thomas McCarthy; Milta Feliciano; Jose Casco

OTHER: Police Lieutenant Paul Grech; Jorge Garcia, Public Facilities Director

CALL TO ORDER

Council Member McBride-Lee called the meeting to order at 6:32 P.M.

APPROVAL OF COMMITTEE MINUTES OF NOVEMBER 13, 2014

**** COUNCIL MEMBER FELICIANO MOTIONED TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF NOVEMBER 13, 2014 AS SUBMITTED.**

**** COUNCIL PRESIDENT MCCARTHY SECONDED THE MOTION.**

**** THE MOTION PASSED WITH THREE IN FAVOR (MCBRIDE-LEE, MCCARTHY AND FELICIANO) AND ONE ABSTENTION (CASCO).**

**INFORMATIONAL SESSION WITH LIEUTENANT PAUL GRECH REGARDING
SECURITY AT THE BRIDGEPORT SCHOOLS**

Police Lieutenant Grech was present for this item. He reviewed for the Committee Members the various security measures in-place and the ones being implemented including the following:

- Electronic Personnel Access.
- Replacement and repair of doors.
- Switching from manual locks to lock-down locks.
- Tying in schools to the command center.
- Switching cameras to high-resolution.
- Changing from the March system to the Milestone system.
- Placement of cameras inside the schools.
- Universal radio channels.
- Swipe-card security.
- Security fence systems.
- The training used for the police department working in the schools.
- The procedures in place for how the police officers would act.

He then provided contact information for further questions.

ADJOURNMENT

**** COUNCIL PRESIDENT MCCARTHY MOTIONED TO ADJOURN.
** COUNCIL MEMBER FELICIANO SECONDED THE MOTION.
** THE MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.**

The meeting adjourned at 7:32 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Ian A. Soltes
Telesco Secretarial Services.